Genre: interview

Interviewer: Mark Brown is being interview because he uses marijuana for medical reasons.

Q: What made you start smoking marijuana?

A: Well, everyone around me was doing it so I thought why not I can try it. What’s the worst that can happen? Then one day I was having muscle strains, I get them a lot, and the marijuana exactly helps relax my muscles and help me feel better.

Q: Why do you keep smoking Marijuana?

A: I keep smoking marijuana because I like the way it makes me feel. It makes me happy like nothing bad can happen when I’m high. Everything is good. I’m not worried about anything. I’m not stressed or anything. I rather help my muscles relax without all the pills and their side effects.

Q: Do you think you are addicted to smoking marijuana?

A: No I don’t think I am addicted to smoking marijuana. I can stop whenever I want to. Its not that I have to keep smoking I want to like I said before I like the way it makes me feel.

Q: Do you know what it does to your body?

A: Yea. It helps my muscles strains go away. I talked to my doctor about marijuana helping my muscle strains he told me to continue to use it if it helps, and there is not side effects except you get hungry.

Q: Do you want to know if it causes any harm to your body?

A: Yes, I would like to know if it causing any harm to my body.

Q: Do you think marijuana should be legalized?

A: Yea, I don’t think marijuana is a problem. It doesn’t cause any harm to anyone. It just makes you feel great. It probably would help a lot of people in this world if they would use it.

Q: Compared to the not smoking feeling, how is the feeling different to when you do smoke marijuana?

A: You start to feel better, you are happier. You start to look at thing a lot different. It opens your eyes to a different perspective.

Q: Does smoking Marijuana relieve your stress?

A: Yea. When you are high you are not worried about anything. You attitude is like whatever I don’t care all you are worried about is enjoying life at that point in time.

Q: Have you ever made cookies or brownies with marijuana in them? If so, how was it different from smoking?

A: Yes I had brownies. They didn’t taste like a regular brownie. It took a little while for the high to kick in. But the high lasts longer than if you smoke.

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